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2007 Winter Wheat Seedings

Montana producers seeded 2.15 million acres of winter wheat last fall for the 2007 crop year, up 200,000 acres or 10 percent from the 2006 winter wheat planting of 1.95 million acres.

Winter wheat conditions in Montana at the end of December were slightly lower than a year ago. Conditions at the end of December were rated 1% very poor, 5% poor, 36% fair, 47% good, and 11% excellent compared with 1% very poor, 2% poor, 36% fair, 44% good, and 17% excellent a year ago. Protectiveness of snow cover at the end of December for the winter wheat crop is a concern as protectiveness was rated 61% very poor, 12% poor, 13% fair, 8% good, and 6% excellent. Wind damage was rated 7 percent moderate and heavy compared with 10 percent last year, while freeze and drought damage was 5 percent moderate and heavy compared with 3 percent last year.

U.S. winter wheat planted area for harvest in 2007 is estimated at 44.1 million acres, up 9 percent from 2006. Hard Red Winter (HRW) wheat seeded area is about 31.9 million acres, up 9 percent from 2006. Acreage was above last year's level in all the States in the HRW growing areas of the Great Plains and Rocky Mountain regions except Utah where acres are unchanged from last year. Strong wheat prices encouraged many producers to increase their acres.

2006 Late Season Crop Summary

Montana producers planted 65,000 acres of **corn** for all purposes in 2006, unchanged from 2005. There were 63,000 acres harvested for all purposes in 2006, unchanged from 2005. Corn harvested for **grain**, at 18,000 acres, was 1,000 acres higher than a year ago. The average yield was 146.0 bushels per acre, 2 bushels lower than last year. Grain production increased 4 percent from a year ago to 2.63 million bushels. Corn

for **silage** harvested acres, at 45,000 acres, decreased 1,000 acres from last year. Corn silage yield was 22 tons per acre, 2 tons per acre below a year ago. The total corn for silage production was 990,000 tons, down 10 percent from a year ago.

Sugar beet producers in Montana planted 53,600 acres in 2006, down 300 acres from the previous year. Harvested acreage amounted to 48,600 acres, down 1,300 acres from 2005. Yield increased 3.9 tons per acre from last year to average 26.8 tons per acre, setting a new record high. The previous record was 25.4 tons per acre set in 2003. Total production of 1.30 million tons was up 14 percent from the previous year. Fall potato production in Montana totaled 3.52 million cwt, up 2 percent from last year. Producers harvested 10,500 acres, 100 acres fewer than 2005. Potato yields increased 10 cwt per acre from a year ago to 335.0 cwt per acre, which tied the record high yield set in 2004.

All hay harvested in Montana was down 740,000 acres from last year, to 2.26 million acres. All hay production was 4.32 million tons, down 26 percent from a year ago. Alfalfa hay harvested acreage was 1.55 million, down 11 percent from last season. The average yield was 2.10 tons per acre, which is 0.10 tons per acre lower than the previous year. Alfalfa hay production was 3.26 million tons, down 15 percent from last year. **Other** hay harvested was 710,000 acres, down 43 percent from 2005. The average yield was 1.50 tons per acre, down 0.10 ton per acre from last year. Other hay production was 1.07 million tons, down 47 percent from last year. Montana hay stocks were estimated at 4.11 million tons on December 1, down 25 percent from last year.

U.S. **corn for grain** production is estimated at 10.5 billion bushels, down 2 percent from the November forecast and 5 percent lower than 2005. The average U.S. grain yield is estimated at 149.1 bushels per acre, down 2.1 bushels from the November forecast but 1.1 bushels above 2005. The 2006 yield estimate is the second highest on record, behind 2004, while the production estimate is the third largest on record. Area harvested for grain, at 70.6 million acres, is down 6 percent from 2005.

U.S. **sugar beets** production for 2006 is estimated at a record high 33.8 million tons, 23 percent above the 2005 estimate

and slightly above the November 1 forecast. Estimated yield, at a record high 25.9 tons per acre, is 3.8 tons higher than last year and 0.1 ton higher than the previous forecast. Growers harvested 1.30 million acres, 5 percent more than last year but fractionally below the previous forecast. Area planted, at 1.37 million acres, is 5 percent above 2005 and 4,000 acres above the August estimate.

U.S. all hay production for 2006 is estimated at 142 million tons, down 4 percent from the October 1 forecast and down 6 percent from the 2005 total. Area harvested, at 60.8 million acres, is down 3 percent from the October forecast and down 1 percent from 2005. The average yield, at 2.33 tons per acre, is down 0.02 ton from October and down 0.12 ton from the previous year.

Alfalfa hay production in 2006 is estimated at 71.7 million tons, down 4 percent from the October 1 forecast and 6 percent below 2005. Harvested area, at 21.4 million acres, is 5 percent below the October forecast and the previous year and the lowest since 1951. The average yield is 3.35 tons per acre, 0.02 ton above the previous forecast but 0.04 ton below 2005.

All **other** hay production in 2006 totals 70.0 million tons, down 3 percent from the October 1 forecast and down 7 percent from 2005. Area for harvest, at 39.4 million acres, is down 2 percent from October but slightly above last year. The average yield is estimated at 1.78 tons per acre, down 0.13 ton from last year.

2006 Pulse Crop Summary

Montana's **dry bean** growers produced 305,000 cwt in 2006, up 8 percent from last year. Producers planted 19,500 acres of beans this year, 1,500 acres above last year. Growers harvested 18,600 acres, which yielded 1,640 lbs per acre, compared with last year's 14,100 acres harvested and the average yield of 2,000 lbs per acre. **Pinto bean** production in 2006 was 234,000 cwt, which is 2 percent below last year. Planted acreage was 10,700, down 1,300 acres from last year. Harvested acreage, at 10,500 acres, is 500 acres above the previous year.(continued on next page)

2006 Pulse Crop Summary (continued from front page)

The yield was 2,230 lbs per acre, which is 160 pounds per acre less than last year. All **garbanzo** bean production, at 71,000 cwt, is 65 percent above last year. Planted acreage was 8,800, up from the 6,000 planted acres last year. Harvested area was 8,100 acres, 4,000 acres above last year. The yield was 880 pounds per acre, down from last year's 1,050 pounds per acre. **Small** garbanzo bean producers planted 2,400 acres, of which 1,900 were harvested, with a yield of 800 lbs per acre. Total production was 15,000 cwt for 2006. **Large** garbanzo bean producers planted 6,400 acres and harvested 6,200 acres, with a yield of 900 lbs per acre. Total production of large garbanzo beans was 56,000 cwt.

Dry edible pea production for 2006 in Montana was 2,063,000 cwt, down 6 percent from a year ago. Planted and harvested acreage were 210,000 and 191,000, respectively. This is the largest dry edible pea planted and harvested acreage on record. Records began in 1928; however, estimates were discontinued during 1958 to 1997. Last year, growers planted 135,000 acres and harvested 122,000 acres. Dry pea yield for 2006 was 10.8 cwt per acre, compared with 18.0 cwt last year. Austrian winter pea production in 2006 was 110,000 cwt, down from last year's 159,000 cwt. Planted acreage was 32,000 acres, up 7,000 acres from 2005. Harvested acreage, at 12,000, was 1,000 acres lower than the previous year. The yield was 9.2 cwt per acre in 2006, compared with 12.2 cwt a year ago.

Montana's 2006 **lentil** production was 804,000 cwt, down 57 percent from a year ago. Planted area was 142,000 acres and harvested acres were 134,000 acres. Last year, the planted and harvested acres were 150,000 and 146,000, respectively. Lentil yield for 2006 was 6.0 cwt per acre, down 6.8 cwt per acre from a year ago. Yield was the lowest since the series began in 1998.

U.S. **dry edible bean** production is estimated at 24.2 million cwt for 2006, up 2 percent from the December forecast but 9 percent below last year. Harvested acreage is estimated at 1.54 million acres, up less than 1 percent from both the December forecast and the 2005 crop. The average U.S. yield is estimated at 1,577 pounds per acre, an increase of 19 pounds from the last forecast but 169 pounds from the last forecast but 169 pounds from 2005 in 11 of the 18 producing States. Production is down from a year ago for large lima, baby lima, great northern, small white, pinto, light red kidney, dark red kidney, small red, and cranberry. Production increased from last year for navy, pink, black, blackeye, and all chickpeas.

U.S. production of **dry edible peas** in Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Oregon, and Washington is estimated at 13.2 million cwt for 2006, up 1 percent from the November 1 forecast but down 6 percent from 2005. Area harvested, at 884,100 acres, is up 1 percent from the previous forecast and 15 percent above

last year. Average yield, at 1,493 pounds per acre, decreased 3 pounds from the November 1 forecast and is 335 pounds below 2005. Production of Austrian winter peas in Idaho, Montana, and Oregon for the 2006 season is estimated at 259,000 cwt, equal to the November 1 forecast but 16 percent below 2005. Area harvested, at 22,500 acres, is 5 percent above the previous forecast but 8 percent below last season. Average yield, at 1,151 pounds per acre, decreased 54 pounds from the November 1 forecast and is 102 pounds below 2005.

U.S. production of **lentils** in Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, and Washington is estimated at 3.24 million cwt for 2006, down 2 percent from the November 1 forecast and 37 percent below 2005. Planted area, at 429,000 acres, remains unchanged from the previous forecast but is 5 percent below the previous season. Harvested area, at 407,000 acres, is 1 percent above the November 1 forecast but 7 percent below last year. Average yield per acre, at 797 pounds, is 25 pounds below November's forecast and 379 pounds below last year.

2006 Oilseed Crop Summary

Montana's **flaxseed** production in 2006 was 297,000 bushels, down from 918,000 bushels a year ago. Growers planted 35,000 acres and harvested 33,000 acres in 2006, compared with 55,000 acres planted and 54,000 acres harvested in 2005. The average yield for 2006 was 9.0 bushels per acre, down 8.0 bushels per acre from last year. Above normal temperatures during the summer coupled with the lack of precipitation resulted in lower yields.

Production of **mustard** seed for 2006 was 3.93 million pounds, compared with 6.26 million in 2005. Planted acres were 7,000, down 4,500 from last year. Harvested acres were 6,900, compared with 10,800 acres in 2005. Mustard seed yields averaged 570 pounds per acre in 2006, down 10 pounds per acre from a year ago.

Montana canola growers planted 10,000 acres in 2006, down 7,000 acres from 2005. Harvested acreage was 9,800 acres, down 6,700 acres from last year. The 2006 canola yield was 1,120 pounds per acre, down 170 pounds per acre from a year ago. Canola production totaled 10.98 million pounds, down from 21.29 million pounds in 2005. Production was the lowest since the series began in 1999.

Growers produced 27.75 million pounds of **safflower**, up 8 percent from last year. Safflower planted acres for 2006 totaled 39,000, with 37,000 acres harvested. Last year there were 30,000 acres planted with 29,000 acres harvested. Yield was 750 pounds per acre, down 140 pounds per acre from 2005.

Montana's 2006 all **sunflower** production was 4.47 million pounds, compared with 7.36 million pounds produced in 2005. Producers in the state planted 3,600 acres and harvested 3,500 acres in 2006, compared with 6,800 planted acres and 6,400 harvested acres last year. The average yield was 1,278 pounds per acre for 2006, up 128 pounds per acre from last

year. Yield was the highest since the series began in 1999.

Production of **flaxseed** in the U.S. in 2006 totaled 11.0 million bushels, down 44 percent from last year. The average yield is estimated at 14.4 bushels per acre, down 6.2 bushels from 2005. Planted area for the 2006 crop is estimated at 813,000 acres, down 17 percent from last year. Harvested area, at 767,000 acres, is down 20 percent from 2005.

U.S. **mustard** seed production in 2006 declined 20 percent from last year to 28.2 million pounds, continuing the downward trend that began in 2002. Planted area, at 40,500 acres, is down 17 percent and harvested area, at 39,200 acres, is down 12 percent from 2005. Yields averaged 720 pounds per acre, 67 pounds below a year ago.

Canola production in the U.S. in 2006 is 1.39 billion pounds, down 12 percent from 2005 but up 14 percent from the October forecast. The yield, at 1,366 pounds per acre, is down 53 pounds from last year's yield but up 154 pounds from October. Area planted is estimated at 1.04 million acres, 10 percent below last year's acreage. Harvested area, at 1.02 million acres, is down 8 percent from 2005. North Dakota production is estimated at 1.28 billion pounds, down 12 percent from last year due to an 8 percent decrease in harvested acreage and a 5 percent decrease in yield.

Production of **safflower** in 2006, at 191 million pounds, is down 13 percent from the revised 2005 production. Growers planted 189,000 acres in 2006, an increase of 12 percent from last year, while harvested area is 179,000 acres, up 9 percent from the previous year. The yield, at 1,069 pounds per acre, decreased 270 pounds from 2005. California producers led the nation, producing 99.9 million pounds of safflower.

The 2006 U.S. **sunflower** production totaled 2.14 billion pounds, down 47 percent from 2005. The U.S. average yield per acre decreased 329 pounds from last year's record high yield to 1,211 pounds. Planted area, at 1.95 million acres, is 28 percent below last. Acreage harvested decreased 32 percent from last year to 1.77 million acres.

December 1, 2006 Grain Stocks

Stocks of all wheat in Montana on December 1, 2006 were 120.5 million bushels, down 21 percent from December 1, 2005. All wheat stocks stored on the farm amounted to 97.0 million bushels, down 25 percent from a year ago. All wheat stored off farm was up 4 percent from the previous year to 23.5 million bushels. All wheat disappearance for the September - November 2006 quarter was down 19 percent from the same quarter last year to 40.8 million bushels, compared with 50.6 million a year ago.(continued on next page)

December 1 Grain Stocks (continued from page two)

Barley stocks in all positions on December 1, 2006 were 31.4 million bushels, down 17 percent from a year ago. Barley stored on farms was 20.0 million bushels, down 29 percent from last year. Off-farm barley storage was up 18 percent from a year ago to 11.4 million bushels. All barley disappearance for the September - November 2006 quarter was 10.5 million bushels, up 21 percent from 8.6 million bushels a year ago.

Oat stocks in all positions were estimated at 1.57 million bushels, down 20 percent from last year. On-farm oat stocks were 1.5 million bushels, down 21 percent from a year ago. Oats stored off farm were unchanged from last year at 70,000 bushels.

The on-farm storage capacity of all storage facilities in Montana, normally used for storing grain, was estimated to be 340 million bushels, unchanged from a year ago. There were 164 off-farm storage facilities in Montana on December 1, 2006. The storage capacity of off-farm facilities was 74.7 million bushels, up 1 percent from a year ago.

U.S. all wheat stored in all positions on December 1, 2006 totaled 1.31 billion bushels, down 8 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 403 million bushels, down 21 percent from

last December. Off-farm stocks, at 911 million bushels, are down 1 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2006 indicated disappearance is 436 million bushels, down 12 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Nationally, durum wheat stored in all positions on December 1, 2006 totaled 47.5 million bushels, down 42 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 23.9 million bushels, are down 59 percent from December 1, 2005. Off-farm stocks totaled 23.6 million bushels, down 3 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2006 indicated disappearance of 15.5 million bushels is down 20 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Barley stored in all positions in the United States on December 1, 2006 totaled 173 million bushels, down 17 percent from December 1, 2005. On-farm stocks are estimated at 83.7 million bushels, 19 percent below a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 89.1 million bushels, are 15 percent below December 2005. The September - November 2006 indicated disappearance is 40.1 million bushels, 15 percent below the same period a year earlier.

U.S. oats stored in all positions on December 1, 2006 totaled 96.2 million bushels, 1 percent above the stocks on December 1, 2005. Of the total stocks on hand, 53.0 million bushels are stored on farms, down 12 percent from a year ago.

Off-farm stocks totaled 43.2 million bushels, up 21 percent from the previous year. Indicated disappearance during September - November 2006 totaled 3.84 million bushels, down 78 percent from the same period a year ago.

Corn stored in all positions for the U.S. on December 1, 2006 totaled 8.93 billion bushels, down 9 percent from December 1, 2005. Of the total stocks, 5.63 billion bushels are stored on farms, down 11 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 3.30 billion bushels, are down 5 percent from a year ago. The September November 2006 indicated disappearance is 3.57 billion bushels, compared with 3.41 billion bushels during the same period last year.

The United States on-farm storage capacity totaled 11.6 billion bushels on December 1, 2006, up 1 percent from December 1, 2005. On-farm grain storage capacity includes all bins, cribs, sheds, and other structures.

The United States off-farm commercial grain storage capacity totaled 8.77 billion bushels on December 1, 2006, up 3 percent from the previous year. Off-farm grain storage capacity includes all elevators, warehouses, terminals, merchant mills, other storage, and oilseed crushers. Off-farm storage facilities totaled 9,348 on December 1, 2006, down 2 percent from December 1, 2005.

December 1, 2006 Grain Stocks

December 1, 2000 Gra	0000							
GRAIN and	MONTANA				UNITED STATES			
POSITION	Dec 1, 2005	Sept 1, 2006	Dec 1, 2006	'06/'05	Dec 1, 2005 S	Sept 1, 2006*	Dec 1, 2006	
	T	housand Bushel	S	Percent	Thousand Bushels			
ALL WHEAT								
On Farms	129,000	135,000	97,000	75%	513,010	572,020	403,250	
Off Farms 1/	22,590	26,290	23,510	104%	916,414	1,178,524	911,364	
TOTAL	151,590	161,290	120,510	79%	1,429,424	1,750,544	1,314,614	
DURUM WHEAT 2/		_	_		_	_		
On Farms 3/					57,700	31,500	23,900	
Off Farms 1/, 3/					24,384	31,524	23,647	
TOTAL					82,084	63,024	47,547	
BARLEY					_	_		
On Farms	28,000	29,000	20,000	71%	103,650	112,850	83,650	
Off Farms 1/	9,670	12,860	11,370	118%		99,939	89,064	
TOTAL	37,670	41,860	31,370	83%	207,985	212,789	172,714	
OATS			_		_	_		
On Farms	1,900	1,700	1,500	79%	60,100	60,800	53,000	
Off Farms 1/	70	60	70	100%	35,617	39,284	43,244	
TOTAL	1,970	1,760	1,570	80%	95,717	100,084	96,244	
CORN		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						
On Farms					6,325,000	749,500	5,627,000	
Off Farms 1/					3,489,957	1,217,661	3,302,820	
TOTAL					9,814,957	1,967,161	8,929,820	

1/ Terminals, mills, interior elevators. 2/ Included in all wheat. 3/ Not included in order to avoid disclosing individual operations. *Revised.

Ag Prices Received

Montana's November full month crop prices were higher when compared with October 2006 and November 2005 as follows: Winter wheat was \$4.53 per bushel, no change but up \$1.14; spring wheat was \$4.55 per bushel, up \$0.08 and \$0.82; durum wheat was \$4.62 per

bushel, up \$0.13 and \$1.27; feed barley was \$2.34 per bushel, up \$0.26 and \$0.67; and malt barley was \$3.11 per bushel, up \$0.12 and \$0.09.

The mid-December price for alfalfa hay decreased \$4.00 from November to \$76.00 per ton and all other hay dropped \$6.00 to \$80.00 per ton. The mid-December grain

prices were higher than November with winter wheat at \$4.55 per bushel, spring wheat was \$4.67 per bushel, durum wheat was \$4.95 per bushel, feed barley was \$2.92 per bushel and malt barley was \$3.46 per bushel. (continued on next page)

Ag Prices Received (continued from page three)

Livestock prices for the full month of November were mostly lower than October and lower than November 2005. Full month November livestock prices and the changes from the previous month and year are as follows: Steer and heifer prices were \$109.00 per cwt, down \$5.00 and \$12.00; cows were \$41.80 per cwt, down \$5.30 and \$8.10; beef cattle were \$92.90 per cwt, down \$10.10 and \$22.10; calves were \$125.00 per cwt, down \$6.00 and \$18.00; sheep prices were \$26.10 per cwt, up \$0.50 but down \$19.90; lamb prices were \$101.00 per cwt, down \$3.00 and \$23.00; and milk prices were \$14.10 per cwt, up \$1.10 but down \$1.50.

Montana mid-December prices were mostly lower than November with steer and heifer prices at \$102.00 per cwt, cow prices were \$44.30 per cwt, beef cattle prices were \$93.30 per cwt, calf prices were \$118.00 per cwt, and milk prices were \$14.60 per cwt.

Nationally, prices for November and changes from October were as follows: Winter wheat was \$4.68 per bushel, up \$0.05, spring wheat was \$4.48 per bushel, unchanged, durum wheat was \$4.63 per bushel, up \$0.08, all barley was \$2.92 per bushel, up \$0.16, steer and heifer prices were \$90.20 per cwt, down \$3.80, cows were \$43.40 per cwt, down \$2.50, beef cattle were \$84.70 per cwt, down \$3.80, calves were \$118.00 per cwt, down \$9.00, sheep were \$30.90 per cwt, down \$0.20,

and lambs were \$95.00 per cwt, down \$3.10.

The U.S. mid-December winter wheat price was \$4.58 per bushel, spring wheat was \$4.57 per bushel, durum wheat was \$4.77 per bushel, oats were \$2.06 per bushel, malt barley was \$3.30 per bushel, and feed barley was \$3.14 per bushel. Mid-December steer and heifer prices were \$89.20 per cwt, cow prices were \$42.90 per cwt, calves were \$115.00 per cwt, all hog prices were \$43.20 per cwt, and all egg prices were \$0.806 per dozen.

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in December, at 121 percent, based on 1990-92=100, increased 1 point (0.8 percent) from November.

United States Index Summary

INDEX (1990-92=100)	Nov 2005	Dec 2005	Nov 2006	Dec 2006
Prices Received	112	115	120	121
Prices Paid, Interest, Taxes, & Farm Wage Rages 1/	142	143	146	148
Ratio 2/	79	80	82	82

1/ Prices paid indexes (1990-92=100) published monthly. 2/ Ratio of index of prices received by farmers to index of prices paid.

Montana Average Farm Prices Received

Montana Average		Monthly Average				Change From Previous		Mid-Month Average	
	U N	Montana			U.S.	Month	Year	Montana	U.S.
Commodity	I	Nov	Oct	Nov	Nov	Oct	Nov	Dec 15,	Dec 15,
	T	2005	2006	2006	2006	2006	2005	2006	2006
	1	Dollars							
Winter Wheat	Bu.	3.39	4.53	4.53	4.68	0	+1.14	4.55	4.58
Durum Wheat	Bu.	3.35	4.49	4.62	4.63	+0.13	+1.27	4.95	4.77
Spring Wheat	Bu.	3.73	4.47	4.55	4.48	+0.08	+0.82	4.67	4.57
All Wheat	Bu.	3.53	4.50	4.55	4.59	+0.05	+1.02	4.63	4.59
All Barley	Bu.	2.89	2.81	2.90	2.92	+0.09	+0.01	3.31	3.25
Feed Barley	Bu.	1.67	2.08	2.34	2.85	+0.26	+0.67	2.92	3.14
Malt Barley	Bu.	3.02	2.99	3.11	2.97	+0.12	+0.09	3.46	3.30
Oats	Bu.	NA	1.83	1.96	2.02	+0.13	NA	NA	2.06
Alfalfa Hay	Ton	74.00	76.00	80.00	109.00	+4.00	+6.00	76.00	112.00
All Other Hay	Ton	75.00	81.00	86.00	98.10	+5.00	+11.00	80.00	99.30
All Hay Baled	Ton	74.00	77.00	81.00	106.00	+4.00	+7.00	77.00	108.00
Steers & Heifers	Cwt	121.00	114.00	109.00	90.20	-5.00	-12.00	102.00	89.20
Cows	Cwt	49.90	47.10	41.80	43.40	-5.30	-8.10	44.30	42.90
Beef Cattle 1/	Cwt	115.00	103.00	92.90	84.70	-10.10	-22.10	93.30	83.70
Calves	Cwt	143.00	131.00	125.00	118.00	-6.00	-18.00	118.00	115.00
Sheep	Cwt	46.00	25.60	26.10	30.90	+0.50	-19.90	NA	NA
Lambs	Cwt	124.00	104.00	101.00	95.00	-3.00	- 23.00	NA	NA
All Milk	Cwt	15.60	13.00	14.10	13.90	+1.10	-1.50	14.60	14.20
1/ Composite of steers, heifers, and cows. NA- Not Available.									

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